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HONGKONG, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1890.

The unofficial members, of the Legislative Council are doing useful service to the community in Finance Committee by insisting on all necessary details and their sanction to large votes for projected Public Works. And of late they have been making inquiries as to certain heavy items of expenditure in the not very far distant past, which are also calculated to do good Mr. T. H. WHITEHEAD, who has been especially prominent in this direction, asked some very pertinent questions at a meeting held on the 15th question of the new water mains and distributory system of Victoria water-works which a vote of 870,000 was deked to muct the estimated expenditure for 1891. put such faith in the honesty of chair coolles.

The honorable member was naturally desirous of knowing what he was actually left Singapore for this port at noon yesterday. voting for, and his query-Whether there was any risk of Mr. CHADWICK's plans being departed from, now that that expert had left the colony? was, in light of past experiences, very much to the point. And as it elicited a reply to the effect that the resident engineer would not be justified in altering or modifying the plans, and the not generally known information that Mr. CHADWICK was "in "receipt of £300 -per annum from the colony as "consulting engineer at home" in connection with this work, Mr. WHITEHEAD dld not labour in vain. But something still more important resulted from his inquiry, something that is

have taken any interest in the past achievements of the talented staff of the Public Works department. The Surveyor General committed himself to the astounding statement that the increased cost over estimates of the new Central School-Sir 'Toady Bowen's vaunted Victoria College-was "owing to the foundations of the building having turned out a great deal worse than was expected "-"provision was not made in the estimates for such a bad foundation as was found when the ground was opened up." Mr. Brown, on being catechised by Dr. Ho Kar as to how the foundations turned out worse than expected, regretted he "couldn't make his words any clearer, and practically collapsed when Mr. CHATER. speaking from an extensive experience of

such matters, politely, but none the less plainly, indicated that he did not believe that bad foundations could possibly have almost doubled the estimated cost of the building. And then the Chairman of the Committee (Mr. W. M. DEANE) stopped the discussion. Might we suggest to Mr. WHITEHEAD and his colleagues that a question in the

Legislative Council would bring out the required information about the Central School building scandal-or at least it would bring out something and set the public mind at rest! And we would likewise suggest that the history of the new Police Station at Kennedy Town would interest the rate-payers.

TELEGRAMS.

PARNELL'S TROUBLES.

LONDON, December 17th. The freedom of the City of Edinburgh con ferred upon Mr. Parnell has been cancelled,

ANGLO-PORTUGUESE DIFFICULTY December 18th.

The Marquis of Sallsbury has summoned M Rhodes to London to confer with him on the Anglo-Perluguese difficulty.

(From the North-China Daily News.) THE AUDIENCE QUESTION SETTLED Tlentsin, Dec. 14th, 5 p.m.

An Imperial Decree has been published stating that the Foreign Ministers are to be admitted in audience every China New-Year.

A FRIENDLY DEMONSTRATION.

December 15th. It is said that the Pelyang squadron is escort Lord Li, the new Chinese Minister to Tokio, to Yokohama,

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

SELFISHNESS is the devil's narrow-gauge road to

ADMIRAL Belknap, U.S.N., is expected at Shanghal, with his flagship, the Omaha, on Monday the 22nd instant.

WE are informed by the agents (Messts, D. Sassoon, Sons & Co.) that the steamer Japan, from Calcutta, left Singapore to-day for this port.

'An emergency meeting of Zetland Lodge, No. 525, E.C. will be held in Freemasons' Hall, Zetland Street, this evening, at 8.30 for 9 o'clock precisely. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.

ST. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CHURCH. - The Mission steam-launch Day Spring will call alongside vessels heisting code pennant C between 9 and 10.30 a.m. on Sunday to convey men ashore to the It o'clock service, returning about 12.30.

A RUMOUR is "going the rounds" in Shanghai to the effect that the authorities at Tokyo Argenal are hurrying on the manufacture of 100,000 Murata rifles. About 1,800 mechanics are already employed in connection therewith and others are being engaged."

WE are glad to hear that Messrs. George R. Stevens & Co. have received a tel gram from the Head Office, of the Nippon Yusen Kajsha to-day, reporting that the Company's steamer Harima Maru, which was ashore off the west coast of Japan, has been floated and towed to Yokosuka Dock.

THE gruesome statistics of suicide are faithfully kept in Europe. Germany, grouped according to nationallies, stands at the head with 150 suicides per million; Scandinavia, 128; France, 116; the Sclavs, 40; the Roman people, 27, and explanations being supplied before giving Ireland 99 to 93. In Germany, Saxony his the greatest percentage, which increased between 1874 and 1879 from 251 to 334 per million. The same percentage is said to apply to Prussia, the self-destruction being caused by "wild living," chiefly induced by drink, by loss of wealth and by melancholy.

ON Thursday night last, a gentleman of the

THE Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N. Co. informs us that the Company's steamer Venetia

THE Shanghai Mercury hears that the penalty enjoined in the contract between the Chinese Gevernment and the French syndicate, for any delay or failure to deliver over the dock and other works at Port Arthur within the stipul sted time, and which would amount to some Tis 75,000; has been remitted by the Chinese Government upon the application of the Provincial Treasurer Chou-fu.

Ir is reported that the Japanese Government has negotleted a Special Convention with Korea by which the latter will, from the, 1st of January 1801, allow the export of red ginseng, hitherto a prohibited article, upon payment of duty of 20 per cent ad valorem. China, it is rumoused in the "Land of Moraing Calm," has forbidden Korea to exchange the ratification of the Convention with the Japanese special envoy who is now sojourning in the Korean calculated to profoundly astonish those who

THAT indispensible book of reference, which the editor keeps at his cloow, "Men of the time," is in the forthcoming edition to include "Women of the time." Of course that is quite correct; in fact, it is a belated innovation. There are women of of London. In conclusion Dr. Cantlie said that the time about whom editors do occasionally the members' examination papers had been let it be gallantly admitted, always to their the present rate of progress it will come to be "women of the time," and nothing more!

The Imperial Censors went to Canton from Forchow and did not come to Formosa at all, and Mr. Chang Souyü; the late Manager of the Formesa Trading Co., has got leave for a time and will be relieved by Mr. Tsai Ying-wei, We hope that the Coal Mine Syndicate will receive Imperial sanction vet, and that that is the reason for keeping Mr. Tsai engaged here.

paragraph reflecting in no measured terms on the management of the China and Japan Telephone Company. The local Agent (Mr. A. Sandford) called upon us in consequence, and on being supplied with the necessary information as to the nature of our complaints, made a thorough it vestigation into the matter and discovered the fit resting feet that his operators were in the habit of intercepting any "chit," that they suspected of containing complaints about the working of the lives. Mr. Sandford has, no doubt, often been blamed for not attending to reports of whose existence he was ignorant, and is glad that the matter has at last been brought to his notice...

MR. W. F. Lay, Commissioner of Customs, met with a terrible accident at Hankow on Monday last. He had gone over to Hanyang to inspect a new ice-house. He went up the outside ladder, and then took a s'ep forward; not seeing, owing to the darkness, that there was nothing to step on, and was precipitated to the bottom, a fall of twenty-five feet. His whole face was smashed in, his left side injured and his left wrist and right knee completely crushed. He was rescued as soon as possible and carried home on a stretcher. By last a lyices, he had no fever and was as cheerful as a man so, is jured could be. We (N. C. Daily News) regret to hear also that Captain Batten of the China Navigation Co.'s steamer Pekin is lying so ill at Hankow that grave doubts are entertained of his recovery.

received the serious intelligence that his article that another article had taken his breath away. Why physical change occurred to the advocate of restraint and sobriety when the scrape-thein the Pall Mall, it is impossible to say. Anyto be made.

H.M.S. Firebrand and Linnes, the two six-knot gunboats sent out on the 16th instant to catch the Namoa pirates, returned here last night after a fruitless sea ch. One has been scouring the coast to the northwild, and the other to the southward. The Firebrand dropped upon Chinese cruiser at Pinghoi which was on the same mission : s the British men-of-war. Beyond giving the mandains at some of the fishing villages photos of the Pirate chief, Detective Sergeant McIver, who was on board the Firebrand, was unable to do anything towards affecting the arrest of the chief actors in the now historical Namoa tragedy. It was ascertained at . Pinghot that the pirates' junks had numbers painted on them, which proves beyond the shadow of a doubt that the craft which tock the pirates and their plunder off the Names on the 10th instant were Hongkong registered fishing junks. We would suggest to the authorities that a valuable clue may be forthcoming were all registered junks promptly mustered with a view part in the Namoa piracy. Had this been done last Thursday week the police might have murderers and of their accomplices, with semblance of promptitude which would have been commendable,

THE English people will, says the Sydney Bullella, yet look with contempt and disgust upon the very name of Brigand Stanley, But then the J. Bull family are so dull-witted, prosaic, egotistical, and greedy a lot that they have simply been marked out by Nature as the perennial victims of hypocrisy. The mean, brutal, pitiless face of Stanley alone ought to have been enough, leaving his revolting egotism out of the question, to proclaim him fraud when he began to "gag" how he read the Bible in the wilderness and what a mercy and a comfort it was to him. Yet, as the British public unquestioningly accepts as the accredited representatives of the shocless and hungry Christ whom it pretends to adore, a lot of paunchy impostors with thick underlips and name of Campbell, after having gazed long and smug faces that are mere coloured maps of glutcarnestly on the wine while it was red ensconced | tony and greed and self-indulgence; as it has for himself in an outside chair as comfortably as hundreds of years paid toll and tribute to a horde circumstances would permit and went off to of fat and insatiable vampires who travel in the sleep. Some hours afterwards he was sur- name of self-denial and charity-it is no wonder instant regarding the very important prised to find himself in Happy Valley, that they who worship at the feet of an unspeakminus his watch, a diamond ring, and ably dull and ignoble set of bogus gospelsome money, the whole amounting to about mongers, should fall easy victims to the wiles of \$300. The "Peelers" are on the scent, as a calculating Weish-Yanken newspaper-man-*recommended by Mr. O. CHADWACE, for usual; and that's just about as far as they will book-agent who has sized 'em all up to a nicety, get, prohably. In the meantime this should The statements made by Troup and others as to be a warning to those confiding ladividuals who the ivery business are but the beginning of the

A GAME of football under Rugby rules, will be played at the Ruce-course on Monday the 22nd inst,-a match having been arranged between the Club and the Navy. Play will commence at 4.15 p.m.

A very interesting ceremony took place at the Central Police Station this morning in connection with the closing of a course of ambulance corps lectures by Dr. Cantlie. It will be remembered that some months ago a St. John's Aubulance Corps was started at the Central Station and upwords of sixty members of the Force enrolled themselves, and attended lectures delivered twice a week by Dr. Cantlie. The course of lectures has now come to an end and the members of the Force, with a view to marking their appreciation of Dr. Cantlie's kind and invaluable services, decided to subscribe to a fund which; should be invested in the purchase of a handsome bronze vase to be presented to the worthy doctor. The presentation took place this morning in the presence of a number of spectators and in a few appropriate words General Gordon, Acting Captain Superintendent of Police, presented the vase to Dr. Cantlie. The latter in acknowledging the gift, addressed the assembly at considerable length and in the course of his speech sketched the rise and progress of the St. John's Ambalance Corps want to lerrn something-a something which is, forwarded to the London Board of Examiners who would duly report the result which he, in credit. The only thing to be dreaded is that at his turn, would communicate to the local corps. Thus an Australian exchange :- This is the

story of a wedding which didn't come off, and of

THE Formosa CORRESPONDENT of a Shanghai two loving hearts that were trodden underfoot by contemporary thus :- I am glad to state the hoof of calamity. The parties to the transit is now a certainty that H.E. the action reside in Brisbane, a sultry city, with a Governor remains in his position here. | delective water-supply which runs by fits and starts, with intervals between when the fit is over and the start hasn't begun. Consequently. when the Brisbane citizen wants a bath he simply escapes out of his clothes sits down under the tap, and waits. When the late Director of the Coal Mine Syndicate. he has waited till he is dead-tired, and not a single drop of water has come, he gets into his clothes again and goes away to spend a week at the searide, leaving the tap turned on by mistake, and whenever he is gone In our issue of the 16th inst. we published a the delusive fluid comes with a rush, and floods the room, and soaks through into the apartment below for six days and six nights. Then it stops running just 45 minutes before be get back, and there is no water again for a fortnight. It was this local peculiarity which broke up the two lovers already alluded to, and scattered their hopes like an eye struck by dynamite. The bridgeroom—a newspaper man—was a stranger in the land, and on his wedding morning he rose early and climbed into the shower-bath He turned the water on just enough to turn it off again, and 'smothered himself from head to font in soap. When he could hold no more soap he turned it on once more-or rather he tried to do so, but there was no water there. He got one eye open with difficulty and inspected the pipes, but the saop got into it, and he closed it hurriedly. In his igno rance he fondly imagined that the refreshing fluid would come back in a few second , so he sat or the edge of the bath to wait. He k pt on wait ing. An hour passed slowly, and the soap had dried on him, and he grew wild and began to denounce the Corporation of Brisbane as a gathering of hogs and devils, but no good results followed He also began to get cramped, so he spent the next hour sitting on the floor, and using lan guage which would have made his best girl' hair run cold and her blood stand on end, and then he crawled back into his bedroom kicking his clothes in front of him, and tried valuly to get the sonp off with the hat-brush. Next he attempted to remove it with cod-liver oil, and when that scheme fell through also there were no ONE can scarcely imagine Mr. John Morley and | more advailable liquids left in the house except Mr. Stead associated in journalistic enterprise, gun and ink. At this stage he laid down and their individual leanings in a literar way are so held on to the floor, else he would have blown estranged. But it is the case that when Morley | been off with an explosion of sentiment, and lest edited the Pall Ma'l Stead was on the staff. he might do some damage he hid himself under The result is amusingly told in a character the bei and cursed inwardly. The mattresses sketch of Mr. Morley which appears in the and other fixing helped to muffle exterior sounds Review of Reviews. While the chief was at so he stayed urder the bed for two hours and home, he acted as a chilly frost on the exuberance | half before it struck him that there was a dul of his coadjutor's youthful enthusiasm; but when sound of rushing water somewhere, but when h he was away, the latter foamed and frothed and fled back into the bathroom he found that though revelled in that starling language which Mr. the water had evidently been running for thirty Morley hated. On one occasion Mr. Stead minutes or so, it had just stopped again, and he was in time to catch the last drop on the top of had turned Mr. Morley's head grey; and again, his head, and that was all. Human endurance gave out at this point, and he swore 20 or 29 times louder than he had ever sworn before. Naturall enough his landlady came upstairs, and asked gutter series of articles on London life appeared | him through the keybole what was the matter, bu when he bade her clear out because he had nohow, he shook the dust of journalism off his feet, thing on except one drop of water on his head and took to politics, in which field his reputation | she retired in disorder, and set it down to drink. It for restraint and sobriety of expression has yet | was about four o'clock in the afternoon when the bride's brother came along with thunder in his eye and a large stick in his hand, to demand why nobody had turned up at the altar, and when he tried the bedroom-door he found it locked. Then he demanded admittance, and in response there arose within the hourse, idiotic shrick of : dry maniae covered with sonp. The sufferer's reason had given way beneath the strain, and he had emptied the gum and the ink over him-

> MEETING OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

self, and then climbed up the chimney. He was

dragged out with difficulty and removed to the

local asylum where he has a shower-hath every

morning, but his case is generally regarded as

hopeless. There is a settled gloom upon his

soul, and the spule of intelligence has fled for

A meeting of the Legislative Council was held this forenoon. There were present :--His Excellency the Officer Administering the to ascertaining the numbers of those that took Government (Mr. F. Fleming); Mr. W. M. Deans (Acting Colonial Secretary); Mr. E. J. Ackroyd (Acting Attorney-General); Mr. H. E. Wodehouse got hold of some of the iclatives of the (Acting Colonial Treasurer); Mr. N. G. Mitchell nnes (Acting Registrar-General). Meisrs. C. P. Chater, P. Ryrie, T. H. Whitehead, Ho Kai, and J. Keswick, (unofficial members), and Mr. . A. Hareland, Acting Clerk of Councils, MINUTES.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and

REVENUE FROM LIGHT DUIS. Pursuant to notice Mf. T. H. Whitehead asked the following question; -Will the Government lay, on the table a statement shewing the aggregate amount of Light Dues collected from 1st January to 31st March last, both days. inclusive, and from 1st April to 30th November last, also both days inclusive?

The Acting Colonial Secretary replied, that the amount of Light Dues collected from the 1st of January to the 31st of March last was \$80,119.99 and from the 1st April to the 30th Novomber last, the Dues collected amounted to

MATURALIZATION OF CHINESE. The Acting Attorney-General in moving the second reading of two Bills relative to the naturalization of Lui Sui Tong and Choi Wai, otherwise Choi Tsun, stated that the applicante were merchants carrying on business in Bonham

THE IND OF THE CIVIL LIST. The Acting Attorney-General moved the third reading, of an Ordinance to repeal Ordinance. No. 13 of 1860, for the establishment of a Civil

The Bill was read a third time without

ADJOURNED COMMITTEES. Upon the suggestion of the Acting Attorney-General, Committees on Bills entitled "The Gambling Ordinance, 1890," and "An Ordinance to amend the Law relating to Bankruptcy, were postponed sine die. Respecting the Gambling Ordinance the sperker said the official members of the Council desired to have further time to consider the provi ions of the

PUBLIC OFFICERS' PENSION FUND. Some opposition was offered by Mr. T. H. Whitehead to the third reading of a Bill entitled "An Ordinance to provide for, and regulate a Pension Fund for widows and children of Public Officers of the Colony " which was moved by the Acting Attorney-General Mr. Whitehead urged that the Fund should be controlled by the Supreme? Court and not rest entirely with the Governor of the Colony. The Attorney-General in rep'y stated that the control of the Fund would, by virtue of the provisions of the Bill, be largely vested in the Supreme Court. His Excellency, the Acting Governor then spoke on the subject at some len-th and said that a Fund of a precisely similar kind was in a very promising condition in the colony of Jamaica. Rather than cause the Council the trouble of dealing with the Bill again in Committee Mr. Whitehead withdrew his motion for the postponement of the Bill, which then passed its third reading.

THE REPORT ON EXTRAORDINARY PUBLIC

A long discussion relative to the unofficial members' proposed adenda to the report on the proceedings of the meetings of the Finance Committee at which the estimates of the "Public Works, Extraordinary" were discussed at length; a long discussion took place, his Excellency objecting to forward it on the grounds that it was drawn up in language that could not fall to convey a false impression to the Secretary of State for the Colonies So lar from refusing to give information be he said, furnished all the information that it was in his power to lay before honmembers. It would be unfair to foward a document of the kind indicated, until the official members had had an opportunity of explaining. from their points of view, the matters therein

Alter some further discussion the Bill was referred back to the Finance Committee and the Council adjourned until Monday the 22nd inst.

THE HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED:

The sixth ordinary general meeting of the above named company was held at the Hongkong Hotel at noon to-day. There were present Mr. J. A. Sonnaville (Chairman); Messrs. Anderson and .C. Ewens (Consulting Committee); G. Murray Bain, J. C. dos Remedios, W

K. Wylie (Superintendent) and a few others. The Chairman said the report issued on the toth instant contained all that he had to say on the subject of the company's aff irs which were not so bright as he could wish. It must be remembered, however, that the year now drawing to a close had been an exceptionally bad one for Hongkong, and it was reasonable to assume that next year, if not better, would certainly be no worse. There were reasons for believing that the Company's receipts would be considerably augmented next year owing to the opening of two new hotels at the Peak. He wou'd be glad to answer any questions which any of the shareholders might be disposed to put to him.

In answer to questions the Chairman said sum of \$30,000 was still owing to the general managers, and that the cost of coal might be reduced considerably in the near future if satisfac'ory arrangements could be made with the Torquin Coal Company whose coal had been tried during the past year with highly satisfactory results. The Tonquin coal used for trial was found to be dearer than other kinds procurable in the mirket. But when large and regular quantities were purchased a material reduction in the cost price of the Tonquin article would doubtless end in a benefit to the shareholders.

The Chairman then moved the adoption of the report and accounts, Mr. Bain seconded and

t was carried nem. con."

Mr. W. H. Wylie proposed the re-election of Mesers. P. Ryrie and C. Ewens and J. Anderson as members of the Consulting Committee. It was seconded by Mr. J. C. da Cemba and carried unanimously, as also was the appointment of Mr. R. Lyall as Auditor for the ensuing year. A vote of thanks to the Chairman concluded the proceedings,

VICTORIA REGATTA.

SECOND DAY, -FRIDAY, DECEMBER 19TH.

The weather was much the same as on the previous day—excepting perhaps that the wind was a trifle higher and the water a little rougher. The attendance was good and the length programme was carried through without The International race was a hollow affair owing to Kennedy not being able to rou in the Scotch boat, this fact made the odds guines to a gooseberry on the Englishmen. The various other results were well contested but no great amount of interest seemed to be taken in the Regatta by the general public. INTERNATIONAL RACE, "CHALLENGE, CUR."-

For four-oars; cup presented by J. S. Lapraik, Esq., to be held by the winning crew for one year; but to remain the property of the Club; distance, one-mile-and-a-half ; entrance, \$10 to be rowed in boats the property of the Victoria Recreation Club., 4. 3 3 4 4 4

"Leek."-First. Station No. 2 .-No. 2, W. H. Potis, 11.1. 10lbs. No. 3, G. C. C. Master, Tost. Cox, G. A. Caldwell,....... 9st. olb. "Thistle,"-Second. Station No. 1 .--

No. 3, Captain Henderson, Itst. 61br. Cor, R. de C. Boyd, 9st. 3lbs.

Both boats got away to a good start, and rowing in fair form made a pretty race for the first quarter, then the English, began to get ahead of their opponents. The Scotchmen, made several spurts but the other crew were blways equal to the occasion and won they liked by four lengths. The Scotch crew were wretchedly."coxed" but anyhow they had no change with the Saxons, Time 11.23 SENIOR SCULIS .- Open to any member of the

Victoria Recreation Club; distance, one mile; entrance fee, \$5; cup presented by the Parsee community.

H. Skött 11st, Ilbs. E. B. Shepherd, 10st. 5lbs..... For a time the boats rowed well together, but the long steady stroke of Skott soon began to tell and he went easily to the front. Shepherd appeared very much out of training and rowed in miscrable form. After covering about half

GARRISON CUP," presented by the Officers of the garrison; for four oars; distance, one mile; entrance; \$10; to be rowed in boats the property of the Victoria Recreation Club or heats similar in build to those belonging to Victoria Recreation Club. "Thistle."-First.

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Station, No. 5 Black and White	
Bow, H. P. Wadman tost.	rlb.
No. 2, F. G. Young, R.R tost.	6lbs.
No. 3. G. L. Duncanlost.	6lbs.
Stroke, G. C. C. Master tost.	
Cox, G. A. Caldwell 9st.	olb.
"Leek."-Second.	1:
Station No. 3 'dmiral's Flag.	
Pow. P. V. Oliver ost.	121bs.
No. 2, H. W. Metcalfe 10-t.	Abs.
No. 3. R. B. Gurde 11st.	olbs.
Stroke, J. D. Hickley test.	ólha.
Cox, H. C. Brock ebank 9st.	olb.
"Victoria,"-Third.	
Station No. 2Scarlet and White	e. 3
How, F. C. Dundas	1.4
No. 2, Capt in Robinson	

Stroke, Cap'ain Her derson 11st. 61bs. Cox, R. de C. Boydgst. 3lbs. Station No. 1.-Dark-blue and White. Bow, P. S. Bent.....tost. rolbs. No. 2, C. E. Lafentztost. 12lbs. No. 3, T. E. Griffithstist, to'bs.

Cox, G. F. Watts 9st. 414s. "Rose," Station No. 4.-Red and White. No. 2, A. H. Ough......tost. 1 rlbs. Stroke, H. Skött 51bs. Cox, H. Sampson 9st. 12lbs.

The five boats got away to a splendid start, the Victoria coming to the front first closely followed by the Leek and Thistle-the Rose lying fourth, and the Canton Crew well out of it before half the distance was covered. This order was maintained until near the fligship when the Thistle and Leek each spurted, the sesult being a clever win for the former by half a length. Time, 7 mins. 7 secs.

FOR HEAVY GIGS: open to European Non-Commissioned Officers and men of any Regiment or corps of the Garrison, or to European members of the Police Force : the boats to be " appoved by the committee; distance, one mile; time allowed for oars, 8 seconds per oar; four boats must start for two prizes; entrance, \$1; first prize \$15; second prize, \$5; (the winner of race No. 2 first day to be excluded).

Five boats started for this race and after an exciting struggle the result was as follows :--A. & S. Highlanders' Louise

FOR MEN-OF-WAR'S CUTTERS.-Distance, one mile; en'rance, \$1; first prise, \$15; second prize, \$10; time allowed for onrs, 4 seconds per oar; boats to be approved by the committee; (winner of 11th race 1st day to be excluded); for boats to start for two prizes. There were five entries for this race. The Emperieuse boat, six oars, came in figst, but the Alacrity, five oars, took first prize on time 'allowance for pars,

"AMERICAN CUP."—Presented by the American Community; for four-oars; distance, one mile; entrance, Stoj to be rowed in boats the

property of the Victoria Recreation Club. "Leck."-First. Station No. 2.—Admiral's Flag. Bow, P. V. Oliver 9st. 12lbs. Cox, G. A. Caldwell 9 st. olb "Shamrock."-Second. Station No. 5.—Red and White. Bow, A. H. Ough 9st. Islbs,

No. 3, W. S Taylortost. tilbs. Stroke, H. Skött...... 5lbs. Cox, H. Sampson gst. Izībs. "Thistle."-Third. Station No. 4.—Scarlet and White, Bow, F. H. Walter, 9st. olb.

No. 2, E. G. Young, R.E., Tost. 6lbs. No. 3, F. L. Jackson, 12st. 71bs. Stroke, Captain Henderson, 11st. 71bs. Cox, R. de C. Boyd, 9st 3lbs. Station No. 3.—White. Bow, G. L. Duncan, fost, 6lbs

Cox, M. Fredericks, 6st. rolbs. "Victoria," Station No. r .-Bow, H. P. Wadman,tost. rib. No. 2; D. H. Mackintosh,.....tost. 6lbs. No. 3, J. T. H. Sample, 11st; 4lbs, Stroke, A. G. Stephen, 11st. 4lbs.

Cox, W. Stopani,gst. 4lbs.

A good start was effected and the boats pulled well together for the first quarter when the Liek and Shamrock began to draw away-the former soon taking a lead which she maintained easily to the finish: winning by several lengths. There was an exciting struggle, at the end for second place between the Shamrook and the Thistle. BROKERS' Cup, presented by the Share Brokers of Hongkong; for double sculls; distance one

mile; entrance, \$5: to be rowed in boats the property of the Victoria Recreation Club. " Pirst. Station No. 4-Scarlet and White, Bow, C. Robinson,..... rost., 81bs. Stroke, F. L. Jackson 12st. 7 bs. Cox. R. de C. Boyd 9st. 3'bs. "Kathleen."-Second, Station No. 2 .- Admiral's flag,

Bow A. G. Stephen 11st. 4lbs Strake, H. W. Metcalfe Iost, 51bs. Cox. F. O. Lewis 9st. olbs, Third. Station No.-Dark Blue and White, Bow, T, E. Griffiths Stroke, S. P. Read

Cox. G. F. Watts Station No. 6, -Black and White, Bow, H. Botel 10st. 9/bs. Stroke, O. Eschwind 11st. 12ibs

The Lily went off with the lead but did not maintain it long being overtaken by the garrison crew who pulled a good steady stroke, and eventually won suberessily from the Kathlun.

The rest were out of the hunt. FOR MEN OF WAR'S GIGS AND WHALERS-Distance, one mile; entrance \$1; first price, \$10; second, \$5; the boats to be approved by the committee; time allowed for oars, & seconds per oar; four boats must start for two. prizes (winner of 4th race, 1st d y, to be

excluded.) imperiouse galley "BELILIOS CUP."-Presented by E. R. Belillov. Erq : for eight parsidistance, one mile; entrance, \$16; United Services v Civilians, The crews that started were-Defence, Hickley, sckson, Henderson, Garde, Robinson, Dundan

Materile, Ollver, Commerce-W. H: Pots. the distance he collapsed estirely leaving Skott | Skott, A. G. Stephen, Garde, G. H. Potts, A. Cagli, C; Hr Thempson, Wadness. to win as he pleased. Time 8 mine, 37 secs.

This was a fine race, both crews pulling in objeved. Henceforth, at the beginning of about a length.

YACHT RACK; for yachts over to tons. The Ariel, Zephyr, and Naomi were tent The wind was N.E., with a force of 3 and the yachts set kites while running before it. A splendid race took place for the first mark the Ariel leading, with Zephyr second, and the Naomi creeping up, and getting abreast of the Zephyr at 2h, 36 m. . Cow-e-chow mark boat was rounded as follows :-

H. M. S. Ariel 29 00 Naomi 29 30 Zephyr 30 00 Shortly after rounding the Ariel tacked to the southward, the wind freshening to a force of

By 2.38 Naomi had assumed the lead, and the

Chung-hoe mark boat was passed in the following order : -Naomi 7 Naomi and Zephyr made from the Hongkong

shore, while Ariel took a course Inside Stonecutters Island. The times taken at the flagship Noomi 3 44 20

Zepher 52 00 Ariel 53 co On the run to the Regatta Bay mark Naomi further increased her lead, the times being :-Zephyr4

The Naomi allowing the other two yachts ten minutes, there was little to choose between the three at this point, and an exciting run ensued for the finish at the flagship, which was rounded as follows !-

Zepkyr 21 .20 Ariel 4 22 05 Naomi therefore won, having made up her time allowance with the narrow margin of 20 seconds to the good.

YACHT RACK: for yachts under to ton's. Arrow and the Zythomus, the former allowing the latter ten minutes. The start was made at 1.55 p.m., the Arrow getting a considerable lead at the commencement, and the nwe-chow mark was passed as follows :---

Arraw 31 00 Zythomus 41 00 The latter was not timed at the other marks, being hopplessly behind. The Arrow finished at 4h. 3m. 25%.

PROCLAMATION BY VICEROR CHANG CHI-TUNG.

Knowing the richness of the soil of these Provirces, and in order to turn some of the treasures proclamation as Viceroy of the Liang Hu Provinces. I have the Imperial sanction for the carrying out of such enterprises as the erection of iton mining and smelting works. I have caused foundries to be built at Hungyang (or undertaking successful, immense quantities of purpose. coal must be used to feed the furnaces, and work the engines. Having regard to the peoples' welfare I shall not buy any foreign coal, but shall employ fur own coal, and so enrich the people both individually and collectively. have sent watyunns to different parts of these

Provinces to inspect, and also to Szechuen and Kingsi, the sample of coal and fron taken from the various mines. Several samples of hard and soft coal have been sent to me, and tested, and many of them proved to be excellent for furnace and steamship consumption. In Hupch and Honan there are good iron mines, which mean untold wealth to those provinces if properly worked. From calculations I have made I find some 1.500 piculs of coal per diem would be consumed by cotton mills, and gun and from factories, and besides a great deal more would find sale with our steamship companies, such as the China Merchants and others. Therefore it is to your own indvantage that you should at, once proceed to operations on the mines that are under your feet. I will take all the coal; whether hard or soft, you can bring me, and in case ! cannot use it al! myself guarantee to find a market for the surplus. Hitherte the miner have not been properly or profitably worked: only got at the surface coal, and you could not keep the water out of your shafts when they were sunk to any depth. To remedy this you must purchase foreign pamps that will anally get sid of the water. Such pumps can be worked by yourselves without the assistance of a foreign supervisor, for the gerr and working are very simple. I assure you I will take all the coal you can bring me, and I will not defraud you in the

The Vicerov concludes with a long list of the places where coal is to be found in Hupeh.

> THE CHINESE AUDIENCE QUESTION.

IMPORTANT IMPERIAL DECREE.

Imperial Decree to the following effect :- That over," coolly remarked Boulingny. "Shall I go all the Foreign Treaty Powers have been up out with you or wait until it is over?" asked his to the present time represented by Ministers wife, "Come along. If the shooting becomes the wildest and most reckless men of the res'ding in Peking. That various communica- general drop to the floor," was his reply. After tions have been exchanged with them year the opera he walked out with his wife on his California. by year, and that the Treaty Powers have arm. Over his left arm was his overcoat, in the been drawn into closer friendship and relation- folds of which he held his big revolver, ship with China and with each other. That the "Are you Ed Boulingny i" asked the blood- Food for Consumptives. - Scott's Emulsion of interests of their respective countries, and to see hand on his hip pocvet. and Pebruary, We assumed centrol of this duel It was accepted, and the man bit the dust foed and medicine. Any Chemist can supply it.of State. On that occasion, acting on her later the challenger was killed. own wish and desire, the Empress-Dewager Boulingay is a man of remarkable coolness, advised the Tsung-li Yamen to invite all the He is very near-sighted and from early youth foreign Ministers to a banquet, to celebrate has worn powerful magnifying glasses. the Emperor's maniage, which was then ap- Some years ago he assisted the police of New preaching. We have now reigned over this Orleans in uncarthing the Italian La Mafia So-Empire for two years, and have lived in ciety. So vigorously did he pursue them that harmony with all the Treaty Powers, and We the Italians resolved to kill him. However, decree that henceforward the Miristers of those they did not dare to openly attack him. One Powers, residing at the capital, shall have night as he was emerging from a saloon one of andlence with Us. In the 12th year of the the fellows slapped him in the face, knocking his reign of the Emperor Tung Chih, the foreign glasses off, rendering him blind. Quick as Ministers had audience with that Emperor, so thought he drew his pistol and shot his assailant, that now, when the present foreign Ministers whom he could hear breathing near him. All HALL, Zetland Street, THIS EVENING, the apply for audience with Us, that precedent this time six or eight Italians scross the street 20th instant, at 8.30 for 9 o'clock precisely.

good form, but the Defence had the grea er overy year (Chinese reckoning) the foreign strength and after an exciting struggle won by Ministers shall be admitted to Our presence. This is because We are on friendly terms with their Governments, and desire to remain so. All Ministers and Acting Ministers, who desire to have audience, shall communicate with the Tsung-li Yamen, who in turn shall memorialise the Throne, and audience shall be granted at China New Year. The day after the audience the different Ministers shall be invited to a banquet and henceforward this shall be the standing custom. Should any new Minister arrive at the capital after the audience, he must wait till next China New Year before he can approach Us. In case of extraordinary events, marriages, or such auspicious occasions, the Tsung-li Yamen shall petition the Throng, and all the Foreign Ministers shall be invited to a banquet. We are friendly with all the Foreign Powers, and therefore have We commanded this, to show those Powers our appreciation of their friendship and to reciprocate it. The mode of addressing Us, and the eliquette to be observed by the different Ministers at the audience, shall he communicated to the Tsung-li Yamen, who in turn shall memorialise the Throne on the subject.

HOIHOW NOTES.

(From a Correspondent.)

The first steamer, the steamship Daris, to Dell.

left here on the 12th with emigrants. . The Religh punbont Redpole called in on the 10th and left for Pakhoi on the following morn-

Twenty-three pirates, captured recently by the gunhon Chinto, were executed here on the reth. There has been serious trouble at a village about to li distant. The Triad Society people are said to have been at the root of it. An official was despatched hence to the scene with full powers. After a short time be sent back to his superior two jurs of cars and a basket of quenes as evidence of his practical zeal. "

A hanner-a gorgeous concern in red silk and gold with appropriate inscription—has been presented by the London Board of Trade through the Tactal of a village on the south coast of the Island in recognition of services rendered by the natives to the British steamer Lorne which was wrecked there about three years ago. For this race there were only two entries the A gold watch was also to have been given to the official in charge at the time, but unfortunately he has been since degraded and his whereabout is at present difficult to ascertain.

Our Acting Consul, Mr. Octavius Johnson, has been transferred to Can'on and Mr. E. H. Parker, from Foochow, will succeed him. During a residence of upwards of four years Mr. Johnson was highly popular both to his official and private capacities. 'His loss will be greatly felt. On the 15th the community assembled at the Consulate in response to an announcement that a concert, the first ever given at this port, would take place. Tickets had been written and sent out to Chinese and European residents and seventy eight were sold. At half-past four the entertainment commenced. The overture, "Zampa," some songs, and plano-forte solos, comprised the first part given by Messrs. Johnson and Leach. The second part was composed buried therein 'into your coffers, I issue this in much the same way, but was varied by an excellent recitation from Mr. Neumann, and a vocal duct by Messrs. Herton and Johnson, etc., etc. Our musical resources are not very extensive. But I think. I may fairly say that quality quite made up for quantity. Each piece Wuchang). The buried treasures I speak of was artistically rendered and the whole entertainare coal, iron, and other mines, and from time ment a propounced success. There were 54 immemorial are only waiting to yield their people present who apparently appreciated to heards to whosever has the enterprise to the full extent a treat seldomenjoyed in this part delve for them. . In order to make any such of the world. The proceeds are for a charitable

A BLOODY CAREER.

On Monday a despatch was received from the City of Mexico stating that the night before Edward Boulingny of New Orleans fatally shot his bookkeeper by accident. The police were trying to arrest him and in so doing opened fire on the American. The latter returned the fire, but unfortunately hit his employé. The trouble was the outgrowth of the payment of wages in Boulingny's printing office, which is a branch of Boulingay & Bros. of Philadelphia. The general opinion in Mexico is that Boulingny is in the right in the shooting affray, but nevertheless he reproached him for his perfidy. The argro was arrested.

"That fellow is a perfect fire-eater, In fact this is. I believe, the thirteenth man he has killed, and I don't know how many he has hurt with bis pistol," remarked Charlie Reynolds, a clerk in the office of the Chief of Police, yesterday to an Alla reporter, when he read the despatch. "You see, I lived in Mexico several years ago,

and we became very warm friends and I learned something of his life." . Mr. Reynold: gave the following reminiscences of the young Southerner who has sciuslly shot his way through life. He is now only thirty-night ventuald, and was born in New O leans and is of French and American pirentage. He first came into prominence during the reconstruction pelled after the late civil way. At that time one of his triends was placed in fall by the Federal authorities. He and several young friends re-olved to storm the fall and liberate their friend. The result wu disastrous, for several were killed and wounded by a raking fire from a gatting gun that those in the juil opened on the besirgers. Boulingny was among the wounded, baving been hit by t builet in the leg. He participated in several such effeirs and made many political enemies. On one occasion one of a rival faction vower to kill him. Roulingny and his wife were in the New Orleans Opera House when this man put in an appearance Boulingny was warned by The Shen Pad of the 15th last, contains an friend. "Well, I will be out when the opera is

that the treaties made by those countries with "That's my name"-Bang! The reply and Consumptive. It not only gives strength and China are carried out, and generally to hold the pistol-shot came from Boulingny, and the increases the fiesh, but heals the irritation of the friendly intercourse with Us. for our mutual hap- man rolled over in the loyer, mortally wounded. throat and lungs. It is very palatable; children

piness and benefit, at which We are well pleased. He died an hour later. One of the dead man's take it like milk, and in all wasting diseases. DAY, the 23rd December, 1890, at Four o'clock-In years gone by, during the months of January friends sent Boulingny a challenge to fight a both for adults and children it is a marvellous Empire, and her Majesty, the Empress- the next afternoon with a bullet in his neck. A. S. Watson & Co. (Ltd.), agents in Hongkong Dowsger handed the reins of Government into Boulingny's second was also challenged on and China, [Advs. my keeping, and retired herself from the cares account of the same trouble, and half an hour

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Hongkong, 15th December, 1890.

lose his presence of mind. Coolly placing his pistol in his pocket he got down on his hands and knees and groped over the sidewalk until he found his spectacles. He put them on and opened fire on his assailants. The fight lasted fully ten minutes, and he loaded his pistol several times with cartridges as he followed the setreating crowd of Italians. He was wounded twice, but succeeded in killing three and wounding five of his assailants.

One time while in El Paso, Texas, one of Boulingny's friends became sick, and he hired a big negro to nurse him. The negro stole \$200 from the sick man and fled. A day or two later Boulingny saw the fellow on the street and became angry and tried to brain Boulingny with a cobblesione. Boulingny sent a bullet crashing through the negro's thick pate and thus saved

Further illustrating his conlness, the following story is told: Une day a desperado "go! the drop" on Boulingny and stood with a huge nistol levelled at his breast. Boulingay smiled and said : "Why, sir, you could whip me ; you could wipe up the street with me." He illus. trated with his arms how the man could do the sweep act. Quick as a flish Boulirgny's hand swept under his coat and in a flach his pistol was out and a loud repet followed. The desperado fell paralyzed with a builter through his lungs. He rallied, but a second chot killed

These are but a few of the many affrays tha the man has participated in. In the last wenty years Boulingay has fought no less than eight duels, in which he killed four men. The others he wounded. As a pistol shot he is quick, cool and unerring in his alm, there being few who are his equal, and none his superior, on the continent. He is sadly handicapped by his poor eyesight. Some six years. ago he moved to the City of Mexico, where he has had several shooting affrays, but he has come off victorious every time. Boulingny is Captain R. Beltran, will be despatched for the a man of medium height, of dark complexion. and has dark, piercing eyes. In manner he is at 4 P.M. unobtrusive, and no one on meeting him would For Freight or Passage, apply to American frontier and Mexican capital .- Alla

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Secretary. Hongkong, 20th December, 1890. [1741

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